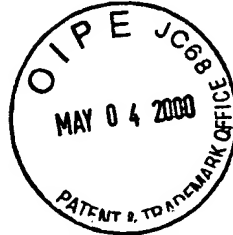


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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INTERACTIVE INITIAL OFFERING OF
MULTI-CLASS FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

**COMPLETION OF APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d)**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), counsel for Applicant encloses herewith the following documents to complete the subject application:

- 1) Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 2) Notice to File Missing Parts - Filing Date Granted and,
- 3) Small Entity Declaration.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is now complete and it is respectfully requested that the subject application be placed upon the files for examination.

Attached hereto is our check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the required fees. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 03-3836. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Lawrence D. Eisen", is written over a horizontal line.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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